

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	Elaine S. MASON	
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For: EARLY-PAYMENT DISCOUNT FOR E-BILLING SYSTEM

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 16, 2008, please amend this application as follows.

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